
Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board

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**ORDER AMENDING CLEAN WATER ACT SECTION 401 TECHNICALLY
CONDITIONED WATER QUALITY CERTIFICATION; CHEVRON PIPE LINE
COMPANY, SACRAMENTO DEEP WATER SHIP CHANNEL MAT REMEDIATION
PROJECT (WDID#5A57CR00199A1), YOLO COUNTY**

This Order responds to the 27 July 2021 request for an amendment of the Sacramento Deep Water Ship Channel Mat Remediation Project (Project) Section 401 Water Quality Certification (WDID#5A57CR00199). The original Water Quality Certification (Certification) was issued on 23 July 2021. The requested amendment is hereby approved. The original Certification is therefore amended as described below. Please attach this document to the original Certification.

AMENDMENT:

Chevron Pipe Line Company is requesting an amendment to correct and remove conflicting conditions regarding dewatering and in-water work, as well as update USFWS Guidelines pertaining to avoidance and minimization of impacts to the Valley Elderberry Longhorn Beetle. In-water work will occur during Project implementation. No dewatering or diversion will occur within the Project area.

The Certification is amended as described below:

- Technical Condition 7 has been revised to state the following: In-water work shall occur during periods of no precipitation when the work area is naturally dry.
- Technical Condition 20 has been removed.
- Technical Condition 22 has been removed.
- Technical Condition 25 has been updated to reflect the following newly added condition: If Valley elderberry longhorn beetle are discovered within the Project area, the Applicant shall implement the United States Fish and Wildlife Framework for Assessing Impacts to the Valley Elderberry Longhorn Beetle dated May 2017.

The Project Information Sheet has been amended as described below:

- **Approved Months of Project Implementation:** The Project will be constructed 1 August through 31 October, or as otherwise required by the Department of Fish and Wildlife.
- **Project Description:** The 0.80-acre Sacramento Deep Water Ship Channel Mat Remediation Project (Project)...

[...]

Valley Elderberry Longhorn Beetle (VELB) has been known to occur in or near the Project area and may be impacted as a result of construction activities. If VELB are discovered within the Project area, the Applicant will follow the United States Fish and Wildlife Framework for Assessing Impacts to the Valley Elderberry Longhorn Beetle dated May 2017.

APPLICATION FEE RECEIVED:

No fee was required for this amendment. Total fees of \$2,066.00 for the original Certification were received on 18 March 2021. The fee amount was determined as required by California Code of Regulations, title 23, sections 3383(b)(3) and 2200(a)(3), as was calculated as category E - Low Impact Discharges (fee code 87) with the dredge and fill fee calculator.

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WATER QUALITY CERTIFICATION:

I hereby issue an Order amending the existing Clean Water Act, Section 401 Technically Conditioned Water Quality Certification for the Sacramento Deep Water Ship Channel Mat Remediation Project (WDID#5A57CR00199A1). All other conditions and provisions of the original Water Quality Certification and any previously approved amendments remain in full force and effect, except as modified based on the conditions of this Order. Failure to comply with the terms and conditions of the original Water Quality Certification, previously approved amendments, or of this Order may result in suspension or revocation of the Water Quality Certification.

Original Signed By James Marshall for:

Patrick Pulupa
Executive Officer

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